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## Environmental Health

Environmental Health is a service within the Moore County Health Department and is responsible for pro

### Food Services

Restaurants, food stands and other places that prepare food for sale to the public must get a permit from

- [Inspection Grades](#)
- [Food Service Rules](#)
- [Restaurant Plan Review Application](#)
- Street Festivals and Temporary Food Stands
- [Coordinator packet and checklist](#)
  
- [Restaurant Frequently Asked Questions](#)
- [Smoke Free Dining](#)
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### Onsite Wastewater/Septic Systems

In order to protect public health, groundwater resources and the environment, the Health

- [Rules for Onsite Wastewater](#)
- [List of Septic System Contractors](#)
- [Application for Septic System Permit](#)
- [Application for Septic System Permit for a Barn or Barn Apartment](#)
- [Application for Septic System Repair](#)
- [Application for Septic System Recertification](#)
- [Application for Septic System Recertification for a Mobile Home](#)
- [Septic System Additional Resources](#)

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## Private Wells and Water Testing

The Moore County Health Department is committed to the protection of our groundwater

- [Rules for wells \(PDF\)](#)
- [List of well contractors](#)
- [Water testing application](#)
- [Application for Well Permit](#)
- [Application for Geothermal and Irrigation System Wells](#)
- [Well and water testing additional resources](#)



## Public Swimming Pools

The Health Department provides inspections for public swimming pools in Moore County. The inspection

- [Swimming Pool State Website](#) (forms, operator training and guidance)
- [Swimming Pool Rules](#)
- [Swimming Pool Yearly Renewal Application](#)
- [Safety and Depth Marking Guidelines](#)
- [CDC Design and Operation Guidelines](#)
- [CDC Disinfection and Remediation Guidelines](#)
- [CDC Healthy Swimming](#)

## Child Care Centers

The Health Department inspects child care centers at least once every 6 months.

- [Child Care Center Rules \(PDF\)](#)
  - [NC Division of Child Development](#)
  - [Child Care Resources](#)
  - [Child Care Frequently Asked Questions](#)
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## Schools

The Health Department provides inspections for all public and private schools that operate in the state.

- [School Rules \(PDF\)](#)
  - [School Frequently Asked Questions](#)
  - [School Additional Resources](#)
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## Tattooing

Businesses that provide tattoo services are required to have tattoo artists that are permitted by the state.

- [Tattoo Artist Rules](#)
  - [Tattooing Artist Yearly Renewal Application](#)
  - [Tattoo Artist Frequently Asked Questions](#)
  - [Tattoo Additional Resources](#)
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## Hospitals, Nursing Homes and other Institutions

Rest homes and nursing homes are establishments that provide housing and general care for the aged.

- [Hospital, Nursing Homes and Institutions Rules](#) (PDF)
  - [Frequently Asked Questions](#)
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## Additional Inspection Services and Resources

- [Local Confinement](#)
- [Adult Day Services](#)
- [Residential Care Facility](#)
- [Lead Poisoning Prevention](#)
- [All Rules for this Section](#)

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